

Lower King Street Streetscape Notice

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- ✦ The bluestone sidewalk installation has been completed at the Lining House and the adjacent lane closure on Broad Street has been re-opened.
- ✦ Please be advised that the following announcement is a *tentative* schedule. Beginning the week of July 13th-17th, King Street at Broad Street will close between Berlin's and the Lining House for the construction of the new crosswalk. *King Street between Berlin's parking lot and Queen Street will temporarily **become two-way***. Crews will be working at maximum speed to demo, prepare the space, pour base, allow curing of base, install Belgian block and pavers and plate the new crosswalk for re-opening to traffic on Friday, July 17th. We appreciate your patience and understanding during this period. Additionally, vehicles exiting the 93 Queen Street Garage **must turn left only**. Turning right towards King Street is strictly prohibited.
- ✦ On the southeast corner of the King/Queen intersection this week, base was poured and Belgian block and pavers installed to complete the crosswalk construction. Next week, this area will remain closed for the curing process. The crosswalk will reopen on Friday, July 3rd. Trucks and buses are **prohibited from turning left** off Queen Street onto King Street. Instead, they should cross over King Street to access Broad Street further down Queen Street.
- ✦ Plans to resume electrical ductbank work in the southside lane of Queen Street have been placed on hold for about three weeks.
- ✦ There is a new fire hydrant installation in progress in the east side lane of King Street and next to the driveway of the Charleston Library Society. There are tentative plans to remove this same driveway during the week of July 6th - 10th. Arrangements are ready for staff and patrons to park in the 93 Queen Street Garage.
- ✦ Next door, the electrical ductbank work is on-going in the SCE&G entrance. There is one-lane of traffic only in this area. Please proceed slowly.
- ✦ Utility infrastructure work and sidewalk/curb installation is now underway in half the block on King Street between Horlbeck Alley & Queen Street. RTW and Charleston Florist now have new curbing and bluestone sidewalk. This week electrical conduit and water lateral work is underway at Vieuxtemps, John Pope Antiques, Leggiandro and the adjacent software company. Anson will schedule new water service switch overs with the businesses. Next week in this area, new curb installation and base pouring will occur with some bluestone work to be accomplished.
- ✦ The new corner radius and handicap ramp are now installed on the south corner of Horlbeck Alley.
- ✦ Demo of the crosswalk on the southwest corner of the King/Market intersection began this week. Next week, electrical crews will be locating the electrical and traffic signal power supply as well as installing conduit for the new poles. Crosswalk re-construction will begin the following week with base pouring and Belgian block and pavers installation. Curing will ensue thereafter. This project is expected to take three weeks.

If you want your prayers answered, you have to get up off your knees and Hustle!

Philip Simmons 1912-2009

Thank you for your legacy of beauty and wisdom.